

Calendar of Events:

Now - December 13:

Toy Drive Donation Drop-off at the San Manuel Casino

December 13:

24th Annual San Manuel Pow Wow at San Manuel Stadium, 5 p.m. - Midnight

December 14:

24th Annual San Manuel Pow Wow at San Manuel Stadium, 11 a.m. - Midnight

December 15:

24th Annual San Manuel Pow Wow at San Manuel Stadium, 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.

December 20:

Holiday Party at the Highland Senior Center, 2 p.m. (free event)



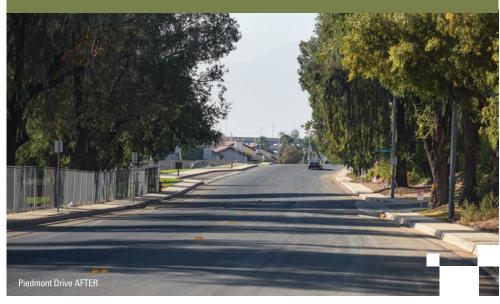
Current Phase of the Victoria Avenue Improvements Project Work Complete

The current phase of the Victoria Avenue Improvements Project, which included concrete work, repairs and resurfacing of streets east of Bangor Avenue is complete. This project was grant funded by the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians and permitted by the City of San Bernardino.

Improvements were made to:

- Piedmont Drive between Bangor Avenue and Orange Street
- Cul-de-sacs off of Mirada Road between Victoria Avenue and Bangor Avenue
- Orange Street north of Piedmont Drive
- Holly Circle Drive from Orange Street to before the fork in the road at the loop on Holly Circle Drive

The Tribe continues to assess opportunities to improve other local city streets in the area.





Marshall and Sterling Utility Project

To continue necessary improvements in our neighboring communities, East Valley Water District (EVWD) is working to upgrade and add capacity to a 1.5-mile stretch of sewer pipeline on Marshall Boulevard from Rockford Avenue to Sterling Avenue and south on Sterling Avenue to near Pumalo Street. This project, referred to as the Marshall and Sterling Utility Corridor Project, is funded by the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians and scheduled to begin in January 2020.

This project will tie into the Sterling Natural Resource Center, which will recharge the Bunker Hill Basin with up to 10 million gallons of water a day. The new sewer pipeline will be built to provide service long-term for 100 years and will contribute to overall sustainability of the region.

Additional utilities such as gas and power will also be worked on by the respective utility companies. EVWD and respective utility companies will provide updates regarding this project to nearby residents. Work will be done in phases and is anticipated to be completed in the fourth quarter of 2020. Hours of construction will be Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Community Leaders Come Together



To build relationships and even greater friendships with our community leaders, San Manuel recently hosted a mixer with the Neighborhood Association Council of San Bernardino at the San Manuel Village Events Center. The mixer gave us the opportunity to learn from one another and share what our respective organizations are doing to benefit our community. We look forward to collaborating with the Neighborhood Association Council of San Bernardino in the future to continue benefitting this community we all call home.

Spreading Holiday Cheer with Spark of Love

For 27 years, Southern California fire departments and ABC 7 have spread holiday cheer by delivering toys to children in our communities who would otherwise go without. This year, the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians will once again gather toys for the community and participate in the annual Spark of Love Toy Drive. With many deserving children in our shared community, this initiative has become one of our favorite holiday traditions.

From now until December 13, 2019 donation boxes will be placed throughout the Casino. If you are able, we encourage our neighbors to pick up a new, unwrapped toy or sports equipment to donate. Spark of Love is only made possible by the generosity of the community. Together, we can spread joy!



The 24th Annual San Manuel Pow Wow Returns – New Dates Announced!

Our 24th Annual San Manuel Pow Wow will return on December 13, 14 and 15 at San Manuel Stadium. The weekend-long celebration was rescheduled from its customary October timeframe due to severe weather and is coming back to town just in time for the holiday season. We invite you to experience the artistry of Native American dancers and drummers from all over the nation as they compete for \$250,000 in prizes. Pow Wow welcomes artisan vendors with everything from hand-made jewelry, blankets, wooden instruments and more that will make for the perfect gift. For more information on Pow Wow and the schedule of events visit: www.socalpowwow.com

We value your comments and questions. Call the neighborhood hotline number:

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